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Re: 2,3,7,8 –TCDD Cell Disturbance  
Former Givaudan Fragrances Facility  
Delawanna Avenue, Clifton, Passaic County, New Jersey  
SRP PI No. 001059; EA ID No. RPC000004


Dear Ms. Naranjo:

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is in receipt of the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for the Passaic Sediments RM 10.9 Investigation dated August 18, 2014. This QAPP, prepared by Lockheed Martin for the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), includes a discussion on the investigative activities proposed for the 2,3,7,8-TCDD Cell at the Former Givaudan Fragrances Facility in Clifton City, Passaic County, New Jersey. The Department is also in receipt of additional information which will be included in a revised QAPP that was provided in an email dated November 17, 2014 from the USEPA.

The Department's Bureau of Case Management has reviewed the above-referenced QAPP and associated clarification email and finds that the boring installation and abandonment methods, as well as the cell closure procedures proposed as part of the USEPA's investigation of the Givaudan's 2,3,7,8-TCDD cell are acceptable and in compliance with the Technical Requirements for Site Remediation, N.J.A.C. 7:26E and other applicable requirements.

If you have any questions, please contact Lynn Vogel at (609) 984-5311, or by email at [Lynn.Vogel@dep.nj.gov](mailto:Lynn.Vogel@dep.nj.gov).

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